



**Dalgety**  
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Dear Member

I hope you are all keeping safe and well. When we formally launched the Trust at the end of July 2019, none of us could have foreseen the changes that were coming along just a few short months later. We have all been affected by the COVID 19 Pandemic which has led to wholesale changes in the way we go about our daily lives. It has been a period where many of us have reflected on what is most important to us in our lives, our family and friends, our health and our community.

Despite the challenges, we have endeavoured to take forward our work. I'm pleased to report that our membership has now grown to 170. Over the summer we launched the Dalgety Heritage Trail which has become a very popular source of local historical information for our community. You can follow Dalgety Heritage Trail on our dedicated [Facebook](#) pages. We have secured our first grant income totalling just over £14,000 and taken forward work with the Community Council to take ownership of the town centre land and the community woodlands, protecting them for the community and putting in place a major foundation stone for reinvestment in these amenities.

The Trust remains committed to working towards delivering our three landmark projects; a new civic square, a revitalised pathway from the town centre to the Fife Coastal path and a new community hub for our town. Subject to further grant funding, we are aiming to submit a planning application for the civic square by the end of March 2021. We will be engaging with the community on detailed plans for the square over the coming months.

### **First Annual General Meeting of the Trust**

A date for your diary! The Trust will be holding its first annual general meeting on the evening of December (15). Like many organisations, due to the ongoing restrictions on face to face gatherings, we will be hosting this meeting online using Zoom. More details of the meeting will follow in due course, including what will be covered at the meeting, how to log questions, how to vote and importantly how to access the meeting. We want as many of our members to join this meeting as possible, so please look out for the details for this over the coming days.

### **Lest we forget**

Many thanks to my fellow board member Brian Johnston for laying our Dalgety Parish Church wreath for Remembrance Sunday. This was carried out on behalf of all our members and was accompanied by £50 donation from the Trust to the Lady Haig Poppy Fund. It feels even more important during these times of uncertainty to ensure that we find the way and take the time to honour and remember those service men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice.



Thanks to the team at the Parish Church for their work and support in making this year's wreath laying possible. Due to current restrictions, this wreath laying at the War Memorial was pre-recorded and will be shown at the annual Remembrance Day service on 8th November. The service will be streamed live on YouTube at 9.30am and available on the church's YouTube channel thereafter.

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### Trust Newsletters

It has recently come to our attention that a number of members have not been receiving our regular newsletters. Please let me apologise for this, it's simply down to the way in which certain email providers interact with the way our newsletters are circulated. We should have noticed this earlier and we are sorry we didn't. We have now corrected this and so everyone should, from now on, receive our newsletters and other updates. If you feel that you may have missed out on any of these, then we have now included the complete set on our [website](#).

As always, I'm keen to hear the views and thoughts of our members, please feel free to contact me directly at the above email address.

With warm best wishes

Phil Evans  
Chair

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